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Serial No. 09/725,933

Group Art. Unit: 2161

Filed: November 30, 2000

Examiner: Not Yet Known

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTOMATING A PROCESS OF BUSINESS  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

In response to the communication of May 3, 2001, applicants submit an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney for filing in this application and a copy of the Notice of Missing Parts. Please associate the enclosed Declaration with the above identified application. A check in the amount of \$1,254.00 to cover the Filing Fee of \$1,124.00 and the Surcharge of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment and a Drawing Change Authorization Request submitting Figure 23, which was inadvertently omitted from the application as filed.

The mailing address for this application has changed. Please direct all future correspondence to:

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Additionally, the Attorney Docket Number has also changed. Please use the reference "342310.0005" on all future correspondence.

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**342310.0005**

Please grant any required extensions of time and charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1656.

Respectfully submitted,

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CORRECTION COVER LETTER



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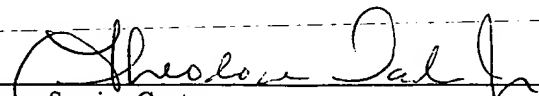
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## COVER LETTER FOR CORRECTION OF PREVIOUS NOTICE

The Notice mailed on 02/08/2001 was sent in error and is hereby withdrawn. A corrected Notice is enclosed. The time period for reply runs from the mail date of the corrected Notice. We apologize for any inconvenience this caused.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

01 FC:101	710.00 OP
02 FC:103	414.00 OP
03 FC:105	130.00 OP

**Filing Date Granted**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$414.  
    ▪ \$414 for 23 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1254.**

The following item(s) appear to have been **omitted** from the application:

- Figure(s) 23 described in the specification.

I. Should applicant contend that the above-noted omitted item(s) was in fact deposited in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) with the nonprovisional application papers, a copy of this Notice and a petition (and \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h))) with evidence of such deposit **must** be filed within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice. The petition fee will be refunded if it is determined that the item(s) was received by the USPTO.

II. Should applicant desire to supply the omitted item(s) and accept the date that such omitted item(s) was

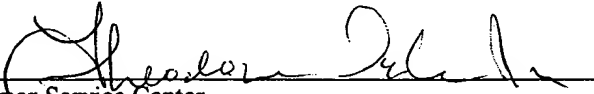
filed in the USPTO as the filing date of the above-identified application, a copy of this Notice, the omitted item(s) (with a supplemental oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 and 1.64 referring to such items), and a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 (with the \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h)) requesting the later filing date **must** be filed within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice.

III. The failure to file a petition (and petition fee) under the above options (I) or (II) within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice (37 CFR 1.181(f)) will be treated as a constructive acceptance by the applicant of the application as deposited in the USPTO. **THIS TWO MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b).** In the absence of a timely filed petition in reply to this Notice, the application will maintain a filing date as of the date of deposit of the application papers in the USPTO, and original application papers (*i.e.*, the original disclosure of the invention) will include only those application papers present in the USPTO on the date of deposit.

In the event that applicant elects not to take action pursuant to options (I) or (II) above (thereby constructively electing option (III)), amendment of the specification to renumber the pages consecutively and cancel incomplete sentences caused by any omitted page(s), and/or amendment of the specification to cancel all references to any omitted drawing(s), relabel the drawing figures to be numbered consecutively (if necessary), and correct the references in the specification to the drawing figures to correspond with any relabelled drawing figures, is required. Any drawing changes should be accompanied by a copy of the drawing figures showing the proposed changes in red ink. Such amendment and/or correction to the drawing figures, if necessary, should be by way of preliminary amendment submitted prior to the first Office action to avoid delays in the prosecution of the application.

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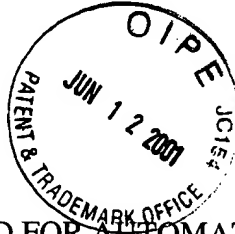
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**DRAWING CHANGE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST**

Subject to the approval of the examiner, please include the attached Figure 23 for the above-identified application, which was inadvertently omitted from the application as filed. No new matter has been added by the inclusion of this drawing figure.

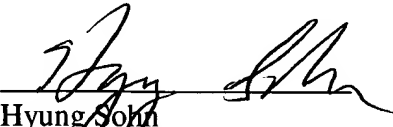
Applicant believes that this drawing figure is of suitable quality for publication.

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